

Table 2.14 Average Thermal Performance Rating of Solar Thermal Collectors by Type Shipped in 2009
(Btu per square foot per day)

Year	Type						
	Low-Temperature	Medium-Temperature				High-Temperature	
	Liquid/Air	Air	Liquid			Concentrator	Parabolic Dish/Trough
	Metallic and Nonmetallic		ICS/Thermosiphon	Flat-Plate (Pumped)	Evacuated Tube		
2009	1,239	971	913	981	973	2,196	1,262

Source: U.S. Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-63A, "Annual Solar Thermal Collector Manufacturers Survey."